

Gas Leak prompts evacuations in Hollywood, Los Angeles County on 5/16/15

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Gas Leak, Hollywood, Los Angeles County (Spill Report 15-2736)

On 05/16/15 at 1407 hours, the Warning Center received notification of a gas leak and evacuations in Hollywood, Los Angeles County from Southern California Gas. The Warning Center made all required notifications.

- On 05/16/15 at 1130 hours, a Los Angeles construction crew ruptured a 6 inch gas main in Hollywood near the intersection of Yucca Street and Cahuenga Boulevard.
- Precautionary evacuations were made, with road closures in the area between Franklin Ave., Hollywood Blvd., Wilcox Ave., and Ivar Ave.
- Local media reported 100 people evacuated from 6 buildings and 35 people sheltering in place.
- · There are no reports of fire or injuries.
- LA Fire Department cited SoCal Gas indicating an ETR of approximately 4 hours.
- Cal OES Fire Duty Officer in contact with the Command Center reports that the situation is static at this time.
- Cal OES Southern Region Duty Officer is monitoring with the Los Angeles OA Duty Officer
- There are no requests for assistance or unmet needs at this time.
- Cal OES Duty Officers are monitoring the situation and will provide updates as they become available.

7.8 Magnitude Earthquake, Kathmandu, Nepal (Final)

- In response to Nepal's request for urban search and rescue (US&R) assistance the United States State Department, U.S. Agency for International Development's, Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance (USAID/OFDA) deployed two INSARAG-Classified Medium US&R teams: Fairfax County, VA (VA-TF1, identified by USAID/OFDA as USA-1), consisting of 54 personnel to include six Canine Search Teams; and Los Angeles County, CA (CA-TF2, identified by USAID/OFDA as USA-2), consisting of 57 personnel to include six Canine Search Teams. USA-1 and USA-2 are operating in Nepal at this time.
- On 05/12/15 at 0005 hours, a verified 7.3 magnitude EQ occurred 52 miles east of Kathmandu, Nepal. Multiple aftershocks have occurred ranging from magnitudes 5.6 to 4.2.
- Per Fire Division, both US&R Task Forces assigned for duty in Nepal have been accounted for and are well.
- Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer (FDO), USA-2 transitioned out of active status and back into DEMOB status on 05/14/15.
- Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and LA County Fire: USA-2 returned to Los Angeles from Nepal on 05/15/15.

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Amgen Tour, May 10-17, 2015

- The eight-stage, 724-mile Amgen Tour began 05/10/15 in Sacramento and will finish in Pasadena on 05/17/15.
- The tour will roll into Southern California on 05/14/15 during a 98-mile stage from Santa Barbara to Santa Clarita before heading to Big Bear on 05/15/15 for an individual time trial.
- From Big Bear, a grueling, 80-mile trek from Ontario to a summit finish at Mt. Baldy will mark the race's penultimate stage. The final day will see the riders depart L.A. Live in downtown Los Angeles for a 60-mile stage which ends at the Rose Bowl in Pasadena.

Cal EOC Incident - 2014 Drought

SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

• There are no significant Watches or Warnings in effect at this time

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php



WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

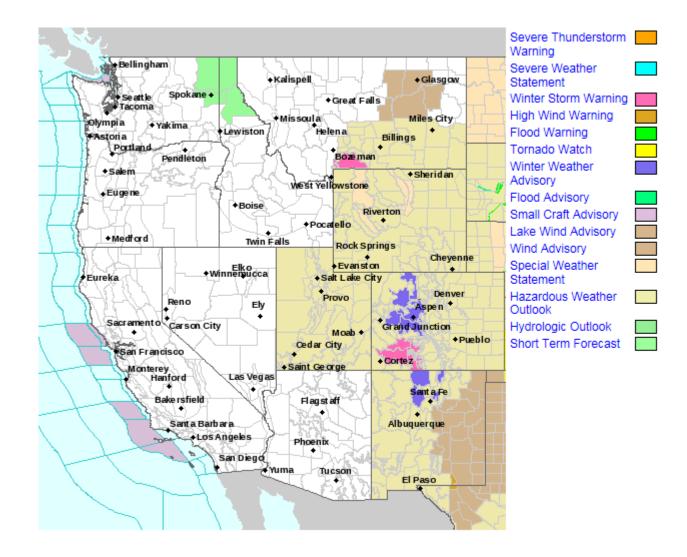
Northern Region

A large scale low pressure trough will remain over the Northern Region and the West Coast for the next week. Smaller scale weather systems will occasionally pass over the Northern Region and produce wet unsettled weather. Today the Northern Region is between systems. However, the air mass in place remains moist and unstable enough to allow afternoon showers and thunderstorms to develop over the mountains. The remainder of the region will be partly cloudy with light locally moderate southwest to northwest winds. The next low within this pattern will produce showers and thunderstorms primarily over the higher terrain Sunday and Monday, with less chance of rain at lower elevations. Snow levels will be around 6,000 feet. The remainder of the week will continue to be unsettled with scattered to widespread showers and thunderstorms mainly in the mountains as weak systems continue to move over the region. Rainfall totals over the seven day period will range from 0.10-0.25 inches in southern/lower elevation areas to 1-2 inches in the mountains.

Southern Region

A weak area of low pressure currently off the Pacific Northwest Coast will drop southward and inland across Central California on Monday causing temperatures to be 5 to 10 degrees below normal and minimum humidity to be above 30% across most of the region. Maximum temperatures will be in the 50s to low 60s across the mountains and mid-60s to mid-70s in the valleys. Isolated to scattered showers and thunderstorms will continue over the Sierra through Monday. Shower and thunderstorm activity will become more widespread across Central California on Monday as the low pressure area moves inland. Another weak area of low pressure will form off the Pacific Northwest Coast Tuesday and then drop southward and inland over Central California on Friday keeping temperatures cool and humidity high across most of the region. Showers and thunderstorms will continue over the Sierra each day and will become more widespread across Central California once again Friday as this second low moves inland. The marine layer will be deep Sunday through the end of next week, with morning low clouds and fog making it up the lower coastal mountain slopes. Winds will be mainly south to west 5 to 15 mph through the end of next week.

STATE WEATHER MAP



FIRE ACTIVITY

Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

NWS California River Forecast Center:

http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take
 place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a weekly basis.



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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 56 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 25 Counties: El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 10 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.

